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TITLE OF INVENTION: WEAR RESISTANT MEMBER COMPRISED OF SILICON NITRIDE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

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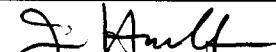
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